Subcommittee on Oversight: Senators Whitehouse (Chair), Udall (NM), Gillibrand, Boxer (ex officio), Barrasso, Vitter, and Inhofe (ex officio).

### **DARFUR**

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded a hearing to examine United States relations with Darfur, after receiving testimony from Timothy M. Carney, former United States Ambassador to Sudan, Roger P. Winter, former Special Representative on Sudan, Michael Gerson, Council on Foreign Relations, Jerry Fowler, Save Darfur Coalition, and John Prendergast, The Enough Project, all of Washington, DC.

# NATIONAL AND HOMELAND SECURITY AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine structuring national security and homeland security at the White House, after receiving testimony from Thomas J. Ridge, former Secretary of Homeland Security; Frances Fragos Townsend, former Homeland Security and Counterterrorism Advisor to President George W. Bush; Christine E. Wormuth, Center for Strategic and International Studies, Washington, DC; and James R. Locher III, Project on National Security Reform, Arlington, Virginia.

#### **INDIAN AFFAIRS**

Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded an oversight hearing to examine matters relating to Indian affairs, after receiving testimony from Ken Salazar, Secretary of the Interior.

### **BUSINESS MEETING**

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported an original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee.

Also, Committee announced the following sub-committee assignments:

Subcommittee on Administrative Oversight and the Courts: Senators Whitehouse (Chair), Feinstein, Feingold, Schumer, Cardin, Kaufman, Sessions, Grassley, Kyl, and Graham.

Subcommittee on Antitrust, Competition Policy and Consumer Rights: Senators Kohl (Chair), Schumer, Whitehouse, Wyden, Klobuchar, Kaufman, Hatch, Specter, Grassley, and Cornyn.

Subcommittee on the Constitution: Senators Feingold (Chair), Feinstein, Durbin, Cardin, Whitehouse, Kaufman, Coburn, Specter, Graham, and Cornyn.

Subcommittee on Crime and Drugs: Senators Durbin (Chair), Kohl, Feinstein, Feingold, Schumer, Cardin, Klobuchar, Kaufman, Graham, Specter, Hatch, Grassley, Sessions, and Coburn.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 46 public bills, H.R. 1010–1055; 2 private bills, H.R. 1056–1057; and 13 resolutions, H.J. Res. 22–24; H. Con. Res. 49–53; and H. Res. 163–167, were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows: Conference report on H.R. 1, making supplemental appropriations for job preservation and creation, infrastructure investment, energy efficiency and science, assistance to the unemployed, and State and local fiscal stabilization, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 111–16);

H. Res. 168, providing for consideration of the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 1) making supplemental appropriations for job preservation and creation, infrastructure investment, energy efficiency and science, assistance to the unem-

ployed, and State and local fiscal stabilization, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 111–17).

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**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Tauscher to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Dr. Albert C. Lynch, St. Andrew's United Methodist Church, Richmond, Virginia. Page H1251

Providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules: The House agreed to H. Res. 157, providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules, by a yea-and-nay vote of 248 yeas to 174 nays, Roll No. 63.

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**Recess:** The House recessed at 11:28 a.m. and reconvened at 1 p.m. Page H1260